

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3, 5-14, and 21-23 are pending in the application.

Claims 1, 3, 5-7, and 21-23 are allowed.

Claims 2, 4, 9, 10, 12 and 15-20 have been cancelled without prejudice.

Claims 8-14 had been rejected.

Claim 8 has been amended to overcome the rejection.

Claims 1, 3, 5, 7, 13, 14, 21-23 have been amended to correct antecedence and other minor informalities.

Reconsideration of the Claims is respectfully requested.

No new matter has been added.

1. Rejection under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a)

(a) Claims 8-10 and 12-14 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 5,745,695 to Gilchrist et al. ("Gilchrist") and further in view of WO95-26113 to Hays ("Hays").

(b) Claim 11 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Gilchrist and Hays, and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 6,078,581 to Shtivelman ("Shtivelman").

In the Office Action, the Examiner indicated that an amendment to Claim 8 incorporating the elements of dependent claims 9, 10, and at least one of claims 11 through 14 may benefit consideration for allowance. Applicant notes with appreciation Examiner's suggestion.

Applicant has amended Claim 8 accordingly. Claims 9, 10, and 12 have been canceled without prejudice.

2. Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant notes with appreciation the allowance of Claims 1, 3, 5-7, and 21-23. Claims 1, 3, 5, 7, 13, and 14 have been amended to correct antecedence, and other minor informalities. Claims 21-23 have been amended to correct antecedence relating to recitation of "a base station" to that of a "pseudo-page" as recited in Independent Claim 21.

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3. Conclusion

As a result of the foregoing, the Applicant respectfully submits that Claims 8, 11, 13, and 14, in addition to Claims 1, 3, 5-7, and 21-23, in the Application are in condition for allowance, and respectfully requests an early allowance of such Claims.

If any issues arise, or if the Examiner has any suggestions for expediting allowance of this Application, the Applicant respectfully invites the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below or at *ksmith@texaspatents.com*.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees connected with this communication or credit any overpayment to Garlick Harrison & Markison Deposit Account No.

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Respectfully submitted,

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